

## State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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June 5, 1997

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT P 074 976 579

Earl E. Hoellen, President International Uranium (USA) Corporation Independence Plaza, Suite 950 1050 Seventeenth Street Denver, Colorado 80265

Re:

Formal Approval of Transfer and Form and Amount of Reclamation Surety and Transfer, International Uranium (USA) Corporation ("IUC"), Pandora Mine, M/037/012; Hecla Shaft Mine, M/037/043; and Redd Block IV Mine, M/037/046, San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Hoellen:

On May 28, 1997, the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining formally approved the form and amount of reclamation surety for IUC's Pandora Mine, Hecla Shaft Mine, and Redd Bock IV Mine. The reclamation sureties are in the form of surety bonds issued by National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, PA. The mines and their corresponding surety information is listed below.

Mine Name	File Number	Surety Amount	Bond Number
Pandora	M/037/012	\$ 80,000	16-67-27
2 00220	M/037/043	\$177,500	16-67-26
Hecla Shaft	112,0011010		16-67-28
Redd Block IV	M/037/046	\$ 7,600	10-07-20

The Division hereby grants final approval of these reclamation sureties and permit transfers. Enclosed please find copies of the fully signed and executed Reclamation Contracts and surety bond forms for your files.

We are returning the following originals of the old Reclamation Contracts and surety bonds with the effective date of July 27, 1994, for your disposal:

Pandora Mine	M/037/012	\$71,700	13-62-51
Hecla Shaft	M/037/043	\$159,000	13-62-53
Redd Block IV	M/037/046	\$6,800	13-62-52



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This approval allows the Division to officially transfer the mining permits for the Pandora, Hecla Shaft and Redd Block IV from Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc. to International Uranium (USA) Corporation. IUC is now the operator of record for this mine. Copies of the fully signed and executed transfer forms are also enclosed for your files.

Thank you for your cooperation in finalizing these permitting actions. Please call Tony Gallegos at (801) 538-5267 if you have any questions regarding these matters.

Sincerely,

James W. Carter

Director

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Enclosures: (3) old MR-RC w/surety bonds dated 7/27/94

(3) new MR-RC w/surety bonds date 6/5/97

(3) MR-TRL dated 6/5/97

cc:

Michelle Rehmann, IUC Mark Sommer, Manti-LaSal National Forest, Monticello RD w/MR-RC & Surety

Sal Venticinque, BLM, Grand RA w/MR-RC & Surety

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